THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) and (b) On the basis of discussions between the Deputy Chairman, Planning Commission and the Chief Minister, National Capital Territory of Delhi on January 12 and February 20, 1995, the Annual Plan outlay for 1995-96 for the National Capital Territory of Delhi was finalised at Rs. 1,720 crores, after taking into account the availability of resources.

Posting of Indian Army in North Eastern region

454. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Indian Army has been posted in North Eastern region of the country to check terrorism, secessionist activities etc. but have not been able to solve the problems till date;

(b) if so, whether Government have given a serious thought and consideration to the reasons for the problems not being solved and if so, the reasons for the success not being achieved; and

(c) what concrete measures Government propose to take to solve the ever remaining problems in that part of the country?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) The Army and the Central Para-Military forces have been deployed in the insurgency affected areas of the North Eastern Region for combating terrorism and secessionist activities of militant groups, for providing security to the public as well as for the defence of the borders

(b) and (c) The insurgency situation in the North Eastern States is under constant watch and close review. Measures taken and being taken is for countering insurgency and for development of the Region include, deployment of the Army and the Central Para-Military Forces, strengthening and modernisation of the State Police Forces, the affected areas being notified as "disturbed areas", some hard-core militant groups being "banned" and the strengthening and upgrading of the intelligence machinery. Simultaneously, steps continue to be taken for the economic development of the Region and creation of employment opportunities, particularly for educated youth.

Fake FIRs at police stations

455. SHRI O. P. KOHLI: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government's attention has been drawn to the news-item captioned "Police go scotfree after dealing in fake FIRs" appearing in the Times of India dated the 9th January, 1995 wherein it has been stated that no action was taken over the bogus FIRs because of the superior police officers;

(b) if so, the facts brought out in the news-item and the extent to which the report is correct;

(c) what is the reaction of Government in the matter;

(d) whether the police stations are not agreeing to lodge FIRs but ask the people to give their complaints in writing which they are prepared to receive and acknowledge; and

(e) if so, the reasons for not registering FIRs by the police stations and how many complaints in this regard were received by the Police and the Central Government?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI P. M. SAYEED): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) and (c) The news-item under reference had stated that the then SHOs of Police Saations Vinay Nagar and Chittaranjan Park were found responsible for issuing bogus FIRs and that subsequently they had been exonerated in the departmental proceedings ordered against them for this lapse.

On the allegations of issuing of fake FIRs, the then SHOs of PSs Vinay